

RETURN OF SERVICE

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN District of Florida

Case Number: 23-22398-CIV-ALTONAGA

Plaintiff:
GOLDEN EXOTICS, LLC

vs.

Defendant:
**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND
SECURITY**

For:
JONATHAN EDDERAI
WOLFFERS COHEN & EDDERAI LLP



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

1. My name is Leiota Hutson. I am office manager at the law firm Wolffers Cohen & Edderai LLP with offices in New York, NY.
2. Golden Exotics, LLC is a client of Wolffers Cohen & Edderai LLP.
3. On June 29, 2023, upon the instruction of Jonathan Edderai, Esq. and on behalf of Golden Exotics LLC, I placed the following documents in the mail at the Post Office located at 93 4th Ave, NY 10003, to be sent via USPS Certified Mail to the following Defendants:
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4. I printed and placed in a sealed envelope the following list of documents:
 - 1) Summons
 - 2) Civil Cover Sheet
 - 3) Expedited Motion
 - 4) Exhibit 1A
 - 5) Exhibit 1B
 - 6) Exhibit 2
 - 7) Exhibit 3
 - 8) Disclosure

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Dated: July 5, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Leiota Hutson

Leiota Hutson

/s/ Berwin Cohen

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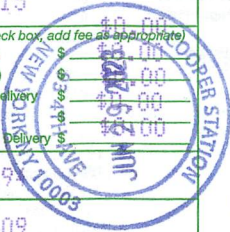
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